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Re: MDL-1456 -- In re Pharmaceutical Industry Average Wholesale Price Litigation

State of West Virginia, et al. v. Warrick Pharmaceuticals Corp., et al., S.D. West Virginia, C.A. No. 2:03-494

Dear Mr. Anastas:

I am enclosing a certified copy of an order filed today by the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation involving this matter.

Very truly,

Michael J. Beck Clerk of the Panel

By Mesa Bishop Deputy Clerk

Enclosure

cc: Transferee Judge: Judge Patti B. Saris

Transferor Judge: Judge Charles H. Haden II

Transferor Clerk: Ronald D. Lawson

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BEFORE THE JUDICIAL PANEL ON MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION

IN RE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE

State of West Virginia, et al. v. Warrick Pharmaceuticals Corp., et al., S.D. West Virginia, C.A. No. 2:03-494

ORDER VACATING CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER

A conditional transfer order was filed in this action (State of West Virginia) on June 30, 2003. Prior to expiration of that order's fifteen-day stay of transmittal, plaintiffs in State of West Virginia filed a notice of opposition to the proposed transfer. The Panel has now been advised that State of West Virginia was remanded to the Circuit Court of Kanawha County, West Virginia, by the Honorable Charles H. Haden II in an order signed on July 17, 2003.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the Panel's conditional transfer order designated as "CTO-13" filed on June 30, 2003, is VACATED insofar as it relates to this action.

FOR THE PANEL:

Clerk of the Panel